



HERE ARE ORCHIDS FROM OVER THE WORLD, COLLECTED AND GROWN FOR YOU BY THE

GARDENS OF KERIMERI

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The following orchids have been carefully selected for their ease of culture, hardiness, and beauty of bloom and foliage. All plants offered are mature blooming size, State and U. S. inspected. These plants are mounted or potted (except when noted) and are shipped to you postpaid. Cultural directions are supplied which give basic instructions for each variety.

CATTLEYA CITRINA

The blooms are singular, white or pale yellow, 3" across and appear in the spring. The bulbs are covered with a paper-like film as a protection against sunlight - needs very little water. Crown of 3 to 5 blooming size bulbs mounted on hardwood. Bloom season variable. 2.50

BRASSOVOLA DIGBYANA

Parent of almost all the corsage-type brassocattleyas and is the reason for the huge frilled lip. Blooms usually single greenish white, lip huge, completely frilled. A beautiful plant in bloom or out. 6 or more pseudobulbs 6.00
Becoming quite rare. 3 to 4 pseudobulbs. Summer. 3.50

EPIDENDRUM ATROPURPUREUM

Variety Rosea. Extremely large pseudobulbs. From Costa Rica. Leaves 12 to 15" long are purplish-green. Each bloom spike produces from 6 to 12 blooms 2½ to 3½", maroon chocolate sepal and petals, lip light rose. Summer. 3.50

EPIDENDRUM***** ACUTIFOLIUM

A new plant found on our last trip to Cuba. Pseudobulbs quite small, leaves single, acutely sloped. Scape to 3', from 6 to 15 blooms 1½", maroon chocolate sepals and petals, back side orange red. Lip rose with red stripes. We think this is a "must" collectors item. Season June-July. 3.50

EPIDENDRUM FRAGRANS

The pseudobulbs are elongated, heavily ribbed. Bifoliate leaves are evergreen. Blooms are attractive to 2" creamy white with red stripes in lip. Blooms early spring. 2.25

EPIDENDRUM ***** GRISEBACHIANUM

Another one found on the Cuban expedition. A yellow epidendrum with up to 200 blooms per spike. Blooms approx. 3/4", large pseudobulbs, leaves singular to 18". 3.50

EPIDENDRUM MARIAE

Small pseudobulbs and leaves, but the bloom is very large. Sepals and petals green, large lip is pure white. A show stopper. 2.50

EPIDENDRUM NEMORALE

Supposedly this is the largest and showiest of the epidendrums. Very large, acutely ovate bulbs produce a bloom spike several feet long with up to 15- 4" lavender to rose blooms delicately striped with white. From Guatemala and Honduras. Blooms spring. 3.50

EPIDENDRUM VENOSUM

From Vera Cruz, Mexico. An easy plant to grow and bloom. 6 to 12 - 1" blooms of greenish pink with dark rose with white striped throat. Blooms in the spring. 2.00

EPIDENDRUM***** VITELLINUM

Not a new orchid, but the first time we have had enough to offer. Small pseudobulb 1 to 3", with 6 to 9" glaucous leaf, scapes slender, semi-erect branching - 12 to 20 flowers 1½", sepals and petals equal, bright cinnabar red, lip and column yellow, flowers produced from current season's growth before full maturity. Blooms autumn. 3.50

EPIDENDRUM RADICANS (HYBRID)

Practically all colors of the rainbow- semi-terrestrial, grows anywhere it can have lots of sun. Nice for borders and patio. 1.00

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Tampa, Florida

ALL OF OUR PLANTS ARE GUARANTEED TO BE AS ADVERTISED.

CHYSIS
BRACITESENS

A new supply of this wonderful orchid has just arrived. We have not been able to get this one for months. A fairly rare orchid from southern Mexico. Short racemes from axils of the young growth produce from 4 to 8 blooms to 3". Bloom is white, lip white with yellow and red streaks. Substance is heavy, bloom wax-like lasts up to 6 weeks on the plant. Blooms in the spring 3.50

CATTLEYA
SKINNERI

Pseudobulbs elongated, leaves bi-foliate. Each bloom spike produces from 5 to 9 blooms of rose-purple up to 5" across in fall, winter. A rewarding plant to grow. Should be in all collections 3.00

DENDROBIUM
PHALAENOPSIS

A lovely plant originally from Asia. pseudobulbs approx 15" on specimen plants to 3'. Blooms from tip of pseudobulb on new and old growths. spike carries from 6 to 20 blooms of deep rose, 3" across, in autumn. Well established blooming size, the small plants 1.50
Larger size, 3.00

BRASSOVOLA
NODOSA

Terete leaved, pseudobulbless plant. Each blooming spike has from 1 to 5 blooms of pure white, 2 to 2½" across. blooming time normally winter, but may bloom several times a year. 2.50

LAELIA
ALBIDA

HEAVILY RIBBED BULBS WITH EVERGREEN FOLIAGE. Extremely easy to bloom. Spike to 2' on which are borne from 6 to 12 blooms of pure white up to 3" across in the winter. 3.00

LAELIA
ANCEPS

Originally from Australia. Pseudobulbs start their bloom: spike in July and August. These blooms of rose-purple average better than 3" across. Several make a nice corsage. Blooms in October, November 2.50

LAELIA
AUTUMNALIS

Fall blooming, similar to L. anceps, but has more blooms. Ours come from El Salvador and are very nice plants. 3.00

LAELIA FURFURACEA

A variety of L. Autumnalis with smaller pseudobulbs and more blooms of purple and white to 3". Season late spring. 2.50

LAELIA
MAJALIS

Also called grandiflora and when you see it bloom you will know why. The bloom is almost 8" across. Plant is dwarf in habit, seldom exceeding 5" and is almost completely covered by the bloom. Blooms summer 3.50

ONCIDIUM
CEBELLATA

This plant resembles Brassovola nodosa with terete leaves. Bloom spikes as long as 4' appear in the Spring are loaded with bright yellow blooms spotted with dark brown. Blooms average 2". 2.50

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SPHACELATUM

First time offered by us. From Mexico, pseudobulbs 4 to 6" leaves to 2'. Scapes 3 to 5' branched, many flowered 1" across chestnut brown barred yellow. Yellow on reflex tip of petals. Lip golden yellow with reddish band in front of crest. Blooms Spring 3.50

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This plant holds its blooms a very long time, up to 10 weeks. Blooms in fall. Branching spikes to 4' with myriad blooms of yellow with dark brown spots, to 3' across. 3.00

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A four color beauty. Heavy bloomer, crown petals are yellow with dark brown spots, lip is white with a large crimson spot deep in the throat. Blooms average 3' and appear in late winter and early spring. 2.50

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The tigrinum bears one of the largest blooms of the oncidiums. These blooms are bright yellow with a very large lip of dark brown. Flowering season is late fall. Very fragrant. 3.00

ONCIDIUM *****
INCURVUM

Pseudobulbs small to 3", leaves 12", scape 3 to 7' branched and arching, many flowered, fragrant. Blooms 1", sepals and petals rose, pink tipped, and spotted with white. Lip white with yellow crest. Blooms autumn. 3.50

PHAIUS
GRANDIFOLIUS

THE NUN ORCHID. Large palm-like foliage makes this a showy plant in bloom or out. Tall bloom spike, erect up to 4', bears several blooms of reddish-brown with a white throat. Blooms in spring. Inside the lip, the anther forms a perfect white nun's head. A garden type terrestrial orchid. 3.50

ODONTOGLOSSUM
CITROSUM

Extra large pseudobulbs of pale yellow produce large straplike leaves. One of the finest plants which we offer. Bloom spikes produced in the spring with many 2" blooms of pure white. Will grow and bloom even in Florida. 3.50

LAELIA
ACUMINATA

Flattened pseudobulbs, strap leaf, bloom spike produced from tip of bulbs. Blooms, 8 to 12 per spike, are rose and white, to 4" across and appear in summer. 2.50

Here at the GARDENS OF KERIMERI we have many orchids that we do not put in the price list because we have so few of them. If you would like to order any of the following orchids you may do so, but we will possibly have to back-order them because the quantities are quite small.

Dendrobium Phalaenopsis, Dixon's variety	E. Howardii, quite rare	8.50
seedling to bloom next year 2.50	E. Phoenicium, rare	6.50
Odontoglossum kremeri 5.00	O. hastatum	4.50
Odontoglossum pulchellum 5.00	O. Ungulatum, large plant	6.00
Pescatorea Cerina 5.00	Cychnoches chlorochilum	5.00
Trichophilia Suavis 6.50	Cychnoches aureum	3.50
Cattleya dowiana 7.50	Chysis aurea	4.50
Diacrium Bicornutum 5.00	E. prismatocarpum	3.50
E. ciliare 3.50	Trichophilia fragrans	6.50

Write for seedling Cattleya list with many fine varieties in 2, 2½, and 3" pots, priced from \$1.00 to \$3.00 each with 15% discount in dozen quantities.

Hybrid cattleyas GUARANTEED IN BUD, of the best crosses in America, shipped out of 6" pot - bud guarantee forces us to choose the plant, however, you can be assured of large, well colored corsage orchids. \$ 8.50

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